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In re Application of:

Dennis E. Hallahan, et al.

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For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS
FOR VIRAL ENHANCEMENT OF
CELL KILLING

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT OF AUGUST 2, 1996

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed August 2, 1996, for which the date for response is September 3, 1996.

In response to the restriction requirement which the Examiner imposed, Applicants elect, without traverse, to prosecute claims 1-28, i.e., the Group I claims. Applicants request the cancellation without prejudice as disclaimer of claims 29-32.

It is believed that no fee is due, however, should any fees be due for any reason under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to withdraw said fees from Arnold, White & Durkee Deposit Account No. 01-2508/ARCD:194/SER.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney at (512) 418-3012 with any questions, comments or suggestions relating to the referenced patent application.

Respectfully submitted,



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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced patent application is:

- (1) A Response to a Restriction Requirement of August 2, 1996 ; and
- (2) A return postcard to acknowledge receipt of these materials. Please date stamp and mail this postcard.

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